

# Comparisons of Job Characteristics

**Focus Occupation:** [Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks \(43-5071\)](#)

**Associated Occupation:** [Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand \(53-7062\)](#)

[Compare Knowledge](#)

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<<	Focus occupation element is much lower
<	Focus occupation element is lower
0	Focus occupation element is at a similar level
>	Focus occupation element is at a higher level
>>	Focus occupation element is at a much higher level

## Knowledge

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 86

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Associated Occupation's Key Knowledge Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Public Safety and Security	6.9	8.3	5.7	<< Extensive education and/or training may be required
Transportation	4.6	7.4	8.0	0 Current knowledge level may be sufficient

The maximum possible rating is 25.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O\*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

## Skills

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 72

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Associated Occupation's Key Skills Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Troubleshooting	4.5	5.9	3.6	<< Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Equipment Maintenance	3.5	5.7	1.0	<< Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Repairing	3.4	5.4	1.0	<< Extensive development of skills in this area may be required

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## Abilities

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 80

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Associated Occupation's Key Abilities Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation	
Static Strength	5.0	10.7	9.1	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Trunk Strength	5.7	10.7	7.2	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Multilimb Coordination	6.0	10.1	8.2	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Extent Flexibility	4.8	9.3	7.7	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Rate Control	3.8	7.1	3.8	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Stamina	4.0	6.8	6.4	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Dynamic Strength	3.5	6.1	5.0	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required

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## Activities that Both Occupations Have in Common

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Work Activities	Exclusivity of Activity
Load, unload, or stack containers, materials, or products	37
Measure, weigh, or count products or materials	17
Package goods for shipment or storage	62
Requisition stock, materials, supplies or equipment	54
Wrap products	74

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily perform all of the listed activities. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the activity is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations engage in that activity.

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## Tools and Technologies that Both Occupations Have in Common

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Tools and Technologies	Exclusivity
Business function specific software	1
Computers	1
Content authoring and editing software	1
Cutting and crimping and punching tools	3
Data management and query software	1
Industrial trucks	10

Industry specific software	1
Lifting equipment and accessories	3
Packaging machinery	47

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily use all of the listed tools and technologies. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the tool or technology is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations use that tool or technology.

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